

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - Agricultural Marketing Department – Departmental proceedings initiated against Sri P. Lingaiah, Ex-Selection Grade Secretary, A.M.C., Gaddiannaram & Selection Grade Secretary(Retired), A.M.C., Kovur, Nellore District for certain grave irregularities on functioning of A.M.C., Gaddiannaram – Imposing of Penalty of withholding of 2% pension for a period of three years under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980– Orders – Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (VIG.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 161

Dated: 08-02-2010

Read the following-

1. From C&DOAM, Hyd.,Lr.No.I&PR/Adverse News/2008,dt.12-02-2008.
2. G.O.Rt.No.243, Agri. & Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dt.29-02-2008.
3. G.O.Rt.No.244, Agri. & Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dt.29-02-2008.
4. G.O.Rt.No.517, Agri. & Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dt.03-05-2008.
5. G.O.Rt.No.518, Agri. & Coop.(Vig.II)Dept., dt.03-05-2008.
6. From Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(U/s), Written Statement of defence, dt.10-04-2008.
7. Govt.Memo No.2224/Vig.II(1)/2008-3, dt.27-08-2008.
8. From the Addl.DOM & Inquiry Officer,O/o C&DOAM, Hyd. Inquiry Report dt.Nil.
9. Govt.Memo No.2224/Vig.II(1)/2008-5, dt.22-04-2009.
10. From Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired), Representation dt.28-05-2009.
11. Govt.Memo No.2224/Vig.II(1)/2008-6, dt.26-06-2009.
12. From Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired), Representation dt.20-07-2009.
13. Govt.Lr.No.2224/Vig.II(1)/2008-8, dt.25-11-2005.
14. From Secretary, APPSC.,Hyd.,Lr.No.1459/RT-I/1/2009,dt.02-01-2010.

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ORDER:

It was brought to the notice of the Government that Sri P. Lingaiah, while working as Selection Grade Secretary, A.M.C., Gaddiannaram has committed certain grave irregularities on functioning of A.M.C., Gaddiannaram. Based on the detailed report of the Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad, Government placed the above Accused Officer under suspension vide reference 2nd read above and also initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing four article of charges against him vide reference 2nd read above.

2. In the reference 4th read above, Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(U/s) was reinstated into service. On reinstatement, he was posted as Selection Grade Secretary, A.M.C., Kovur, Nellore District.

3. The Charged Officer Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary has submitted his written statement of defence denying the charges framed against him. As the written statement of defence was not found convincing, Government appointed Sri G. Venkatappa Reddy, Additional Director of Marketing, O/o Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad as Inquiry Officer to conduct a regular inquiry into the charges framed against the Charged Officer.

4. The Inquiry Officer, after conducting the regular inquiry, has submitted the Inquiry Report concluding that all the four charges are held proved against the Charged Officer. In the reference 9th read above, while communicating a copy of the inquiry report, the Charged Officer was requested to submit his representation, if any, on the findings of the Inquiry Officer.

5. Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired) has submitted his representation on the findings of the Inquiry Officer and requested to drop further action against him.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter, provisionally decided to impose a penalty of withholding of 10% pension permanently against Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired) under Rule 9 of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, as the charges are held proved in a regular inquiry. Accordingly, in the reference 11th read above, Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired) was requested to show cause as to why the penalty of withholding 10% pension permanently should not be imposed against him for the charges held proved against him.

7. In the reference 12th read above, Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired) has submitted his representation to the Show Cause Notice and requested to drop further action against him.

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8. Government, after careful examination with reference to record of inquiry, findings of Inquiry Officer and representation submitted by the charged officer to the Show Cause Notice, decided to impose a penalty of withholding of 2% pension for a period of (3) years against Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired). Accordingly, Government have consulted the A.P.Public Service Commission for their concurrence vide reference 10th read above.

9. In the reference 13th read above, the A.P.Public Service Commission agreed with the proposal of the Government to impose a penalty of withholding of 2% pension for a period of (3) years against Sri P. Lingaiah, Selection Grade Secretary(Retired).

10. Government, after careful examination of the matter, have decided to impose a penalty of withholding 2% pension for a period of three years against Sri P. Lingaiah, Ex-Selection Grade Secretary, A.M.C., Gaddiannaram and Selection Grade Secretary(Retired), A.M.C., Kovur, Nellore District under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 and also regularize his suspension period from 01-03-2008 to 21-05-2008 treating as leave of any kind admissible to him under sub-rule 7 of F.R.54-B.

11. Accordingly, Government hereby impose a penalty of withholding 2% pension for a period of three years against Sri P. Lingaiah, Ex-Selection Grade Secretary, A.M.C., Gaddiannaram & Selection Grade Secretary(Retired), A.M.C., Kovur, Nellore District under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 and also regularize his suspension period from 01-03-2008 to 21-05-2008 treating as leave of any kind admissible to him under sub-rule 7 of F.R.54-B.

12. The Commissioner and Director of Agricultural Marketing, Hyderabad shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K. R. KISHORE
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri P. Lingaiah,
Ex-Selection Grade Secretary, A.M.C., Gaddiannaram &
Selection Grade Secretary(Retired), A.M.C., Kovur, Nellore District
(Through: The Commissioner & Director of Agricultural
Marketing, A.P., Hyderabad.

Copy to:-
The Commissioner & Director of Agricultural Marketing,
A.P., Hyderabad.
The Secretary, A.P.Public Service Commission,
Hyderabad.
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SECTION OFFICER